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### Preface

This document provides an overview of the Adabas Vista tool AVILOOK.

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## 1 AVILOOK Function

The Adabas Vista analysis tool AVILOOK provides statistics on the type and quantity of key-based accesses against an Adabas file. This information can be used to identify the Adabas files that may benefit from the Adabas Vista partitioning option.

### 2

### **AVILOOK Output**

At normal database termination, the statistics gathered during AVILOOK processing are written to the database job log.

The following screen is an example of the output provided by AVILOOK.

```
16:56:07 ***** A D A B A S VISTA SERVICES 8.1.2 *****
                                                                    2006-05-29
                 - Avilook File Statistics -
                                                                     V14120M1
 DBID: 231
             (TEST-V8-DB)
 File: 2
                                                  Started: 2006-05-29 09:09:20
                                                   Paused:
     CC
                                                  CC
           Desc
                   Command Count
                                                        Desc
                                                                Command Count
     L3
            AA
                            2836
     S1
            AΒ
                            1324
     L3
            ВС
                              24
     L9
            S1
                              26
Other Commands not listed above: 1558
Command ==>
Enter-PF1---PF2---PF3---PF4---PF5---PF6---PF7---PF8---PF9---PF10--PF11--PF12
                 Exit Refr
```

This screen shows statistics on the command type and quantity of key-based accesses against the file (for example, \$1, L3, and L9 commands). The statistics are displayed in descending order by command code (CC) and Adabas two-character field name (Desc).

In the example, there are 2836 accesses to file 2 using an L3 command with the Adabas field AA as the primary sequence field. Such a file, where the predominant access is by a single key, may benefit from being partitioned using the Adabas field AA as the Adabas Vista partitioning field.

## 3 AVILOOK Execution

AVILOOK is invoked and executed using Adabas Vista Online Services. Refer to Adabas Vista Online Services, function AVILOOK, for further information.